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HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR

S.B. : HON'BLE SHRI SATISH K. AGNIHOTRI, J.

WRIT PETITION (S) No. 1988 of 2007

PETITIONER : Ram Pili D/o Shri Vishun Ram, aged about 22 years, Caste-Gond, Resident of Village Dumerkhola (Jirhulapara), Village Panchayat Dumerkhola, Janpad Panchayat Balrampur, District Surguja (C.G.)

VERSUS

RESPONDENTS :
1. State of Chhattisgarh, Through: The Secretary, Department of Women and Child Development, D.K.S. Bhawan, Raipur (C.G.).
2. The Collector, Ambikapur, District Surguja (C.G.)
3. The District Programme Officer, Woman and Child Development, Ambikapur, District Surguja (C.G.).
4. The Chief Executive Officer, Janpad Panchayat Balrampur District Surguja (C.G.)
5. Gram Panchayat Dumerkhola, Through: The Sarpanch, Village Panchayat Dumerkhola, Janpad Panchayat Balrampur, District Surguja (C.G.)
6. Smt. Meena Wife of Shri Ram Bilas, Resident of Village Dumerkhola, Village Panchayat Dumerkhola, Janpad Panchayat Balrampur, District Surguja (C.G.).

Present: Shri V.K.Pandey, Advocate for the petitioner.
Shri Arvind Dubey, Panel Lawyer for the State / respondent No. 1 to 3.

ORDER
(Passed on 3rd of April, 2007)

1. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submits that the appointment of respondent no. 6 as Angan Badi worker is contrary to the provisions of Angan Badi Scheme. The petitioner has preferential right of appointment over the respondent no. 6 on the ground that the petitioner is living below the poverty line, she belongs to Scheduled Tribe Community and is having experience of working as Angan Badi Sah-Sahayika. Learned counsel further submits that the husband of the respondent no. 6 is holding the post of Sanskritik Sangathak. It is further contended that the representation of the petitioner, dated 27.01.2007 (Annexure P/5), is pending consideration before the Collector, Surguja (Ambikapur).

2. Be that as it may, the Collector Surguja (Ambikapur) is directed to look into the allegations made by the petitioner as contained in her representation, Annexure P/5 and pass appropriate order after affording opportunity of hearing to the parties in accordance with law and as per Angan Badi scheme, within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of this order.

3. In view of the above, this petition stands disposed of. No order as to costs.

Sd/-
Satish K. Agnihotri
Judge

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